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THE RAILROAD BILL.

That the conference committee, bill over which the two houses of congress differed, has reached an agreement comes none too soon for the bill to get consideration and the legislation enacted in order to take care of the railroads when they are turned back to their owners the first

In view of the conflicting provisof the senate and the house bills. and the stand of the respective bodies in behalf of their particular legislation it was evident that there would have to be a giving and taking in order to reach a decision in committee. The fact that there has been a comdoes not therefore cause any only possible way in which the needed legislation could be provided within the limited time. The two branches now have no more time than they need for discussing the new recommendations of the committee but it is important that action should be taken within the month.

Whether the wisest course has been followed in eliminating the anti strike clause of the Cummins bill, the attitude of the house in opposition to that provision indicated its modifica-

infrequency of his sea trips.

According to the secretary the adwhile roland in spite of these manmiral had served 16 of his last 25
years on land and has been on sea
posed to make terms with Russia, and
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posed to make terms with Russia, and duty but nine. It is ordinarily sup-posed that it is not what a rear ad-

tion for the important service in the war and awarded him a medal for the wuy in which he performed it.

Such testimony on the part of the tecretary doesn't serve to clear up the charges made by the admiral. In fact it does not serve to help the case any, and if the secretary feels toward the admiral the way his statement indicates it is impossible to understand why he ever approved the idea or putting him in the position that dld and keeping him there throughout the war.

THE GERMAN WAR FIENDS.

When the treaty of peace was grawn and signed there was included therein a provision that Germany should surrender to the allies those accused of having committed an act in violation of the customs and laws of war, and according to the treaty to Belgium. Germany recognized the right of the allies to bring such before a military tribunal

Just who or how many would be included in the list was not indicated, but it has of late been recognized by Germany that it doesn't want to keep its promise. It has put forth the claim that there would be great danclaim that there would be great dan-ger of the overthrew of the governent if such compliance was attempt-l. There is realized in this connection an expected effort to aid those likely to be wanted to escape from the democrat should be willing to stand trial and penalty, and of course the for the beating he is bound to get. strongest possible pressure is being used. Germany knows that the al-lies want a stable government in Germany and it knows that it would be a source of annoyance to the allies for radicals to get control and unrest to break out there. It therefore played a trump card when it endeavored to secure the elimination of that provis-

The allies however, have disclosed shrough the action of the council of land.

posed to disregard the acts of the German fiends during the war be-

lina is seeking will accomplish all that it desires will depend upon the character of the person affected. Any driver that is a man will stop to see what damage he has done, to make good, to help make temporary repairs or to aid any that may have been injured but those who have laid them-selves oriminally liable by their acand cover up their actions can be exsurprise. It was anticipated and it pected to do it, law or no law. They was plainly evident that it was the will be as much inclined to violate will be as much inclined to violate such a law as they are to break the existing laws of the road.

Still South Carolina will be justified in adding such a law to its statute command the respect of those who are willing to break the law if the chance presents.

trained Russian force,

generation it would be hard indeed to distance that it is not what a rear admiral wants to do but what he is ordered to do that comprises his service. He doesn't select sea duty just as he heaves as the hard been so fortunate or unfortunate as to have been ordered to sea duty the entire 25 years he would have responded, even as he did to the 16 years shore duty for which he was selected.

If the secretary thought he had had had too much shore duty and would be more value on sea duty it is hard to take charge of the American sea afforces and he placed in London throughout the war. Sims didn't select himself for the job any more than he did during the 16 years shore duty and it is fulled for the secretary to didn't select himself for the job any more than he did during the 16 years shore duty and it is fulled for the secretary to did the to the war selected.

"Keep out of the running by the admiral by trying to claim at this time that slims was a trouble maker, when as a matter of fact he permitted his selection for the important service in the war and awarded him a medal far the war and awarded

If by any chance the groundhog made a mistake in the day it is all off

with winter.

squeich L. W. W. activities.

most interesting part of throwing a hat into the ring is that a

If no one does any more worrying over the next 40 days than the groundhog it will not make much duf-ference whether the backbone of win-

The United States may be unwilling to take a mandate for Armenia, but it cannot refuse to lend a helping hand to the starving people of that

It does not look very clear, but it comforted the worried father, and his opinion that his son's birthday will

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Doesn't Like Attitude Toward Reds.

tice as has been committed by the New York state assembly. It should be berne in mind that all things are

be beene in mind that all things are not as they are painted. In this generation it would be hard indeed to find anyone so inhuman as to uphold siavery. Yet in the years following 1829 William Lloyd Garrison, the founder and most prominent man in the abolition movement was called a murderer and cut-throat. And, although a devout Christian was called an infidel and practically all the churches refused to have anything to

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children relish and thrive on

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prone to think of medicine.

admiratty have definitely decided to dispose of no fewer than 183 warships. Of these, 104 are ordered to be sold. The method of disposal of the other 73 is not yet decided. The respective number for each class is given below: d. The respective iss is given below:

To be Method Sold Undecided Portance to be published in many 2 newspapers a few years ago, and cabled oll over the world.

Battleships

wholesome influences people parading the central streets on Sunday even-

Will the children born on the 29th of next month have only one birthday in every four years? No child would like that.

HER INCREASING MISFORTUNES

Over the right eye of the bridge delocarman feinds during the war because of the please for leniency. The
number of those demanded has been
reduced about half so that less than
180 are called fee, full it resulants to
be seen what speed Germany will
make in complying with the demands,
especially since Holland has refuted
to deliver the fornize for offoff dutations are not have the form of the second seed and Holland has
not, and the latter has supported its
refusal by law.

That Germany will continue to opposo the delivery of the persons
wanted can be expected even though
the bluff about the overthrow of the
government didn't desert the sound
of ambassadors from demanding
them.

MAKING HIGHWAYS SAFER.

South Carolina has been faving its
temples with automobilists, the recit
temples with automobilists, the recit
is simply getting the expectance that
to their states have had and are still
habitag, but it is is inhops of putting
an end to it by the passage of a law
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changes

Information was obtained at Plymouth yesterday, wires the "Daily Chronicle" correspondent, that the admiralty have definitely decided to dispose of no fewer than 183 warships.

This is where the feminine instinct scores its biggest triumph over the masculine. Look round any popular restaurant, and one of the first things The man on the corner says. It's not where you live but how you live that really counts.

The condition of its streets is nothing about which Norwich has a disposition to brag.

It isn't going to be possible to stifle based and to based it alk and dope very much longer by Arctic weather.

Among ethers, the opinion of President Wilson on the letter of Viscount Grey would be pertinent at this time.

Germany fromised to deliver its war driminals, but it wants to does to be eligium.

Among on that scere even as it did to Belgium.

The remains to be seen whether the Wood-Poindexter debate in South Dakota attracts as big a crowd as the Wilson based at the Wilson based at a crowd as the wilson based at a crowd

lionnire.

Is it not time men took the hint?

like that.

The great lawyer Blackstone, in his "Commentaries." says that a male child attains his majority "on the day preceding the 2fst anniversary of his birthday"—which would make the February 29 child a stripling of over 80 before he "came of age."

Some years ago the father of a son born on February 29 refused to be discouraged by Blackstone and unearthed a statute of Henry III, made at Westminster in 1236, in which it was said:

ASPIRIN FOR COLDS



an end to it by the passage of a law which will make it necessary for the automobilistic who strikes a person or another vehicle on the public highway it stop immediately so that his idendary of course. And I too it for fear that they'd think they on the high design of the strikes a person or another vehicle on the public highway it stop immediately so that his idendary which all the strikes a person or another vehicle on the public highway it stop immediately so that his idendary which are strong and of. I'm perfectly blind, and all those women coming at 1 o'clock!"

"What a thing to think of at such a time!" cried the friend.

"Wasn't it? But that wasn't the barry such a law as seven to a person or the other hand in the content of the perfect of the friend.

"Wasn't it? But that wasn't the barry such a label it; so she poured turpentine in the bottle and forsite or a vehicle, whether it happens to be an automobile or an orceart ouths to be an automobile or an orceart ouths to be more menually been expensibilities. It is only the coward that runs away but it, has frequently been expensible. Whether such a law as south Caro-lina is seeking will accomplish all clearly and all those when reading the first of parts and the coward that runs away but it, has frequently been expensible. Whether such a law as south Caro-lina is seeking will accomplish all clearly and a complish all clearly in the clear in which these way in the face of foots earth of hinking it to be deemed a vehicle with the sale. The clear is all the complish all clearly defended the friend. "How you have done it." That's turpentine in the bottle and forsity defended the friend. "Wasn't it?" Such that was nothing, said the bridge flend, smoothing her frizzied the friend. "Wasn't it?" But that was nothing, said the bridge flend, smoothing her frizzied the friend. "Wasn't it?" But that wasn't the barry that was second to party. The debut the part of the containt of free speech and it had been and a face of the containt of the containt of the containt "Committee of Forty-Eight" for the restoration of free speech. No normal mind conceives that the right has even been taken away. Any individual capable of thinking it to be denied must very evidently be possessed of a quaint moral squint. It is in the first and last analysis, nothing more than a demand for toleration of the most vehement speutings of anarchists. chists.

It is characteristic of the cult of It is characteristic of the cuit of malcontents that they should rush confidently before the American people waving this demand, in the apparent belief that there will be a general flocking to their standard. Of course there won't be anything of the kind for the perfectly logical reason. course there won't be anything of the kind, for the perfectly logical reason that not everybody has become so unhinged mentally. The average American remains quite normal and wholly indifferent to the frenzied social enthusiast who is for tearing down all that now is in favor of a general chaos, which will have only the merit of being different from the Miscellaneous 28 3 Mr. Editor: I for one am ashamed old order. Law and order-loving Americans, who believe in ordinary-decency, the home and the family, the fourth and Jupiter.

Mr. Editor: I for one am ashamed old order. Law and order-loving Americans, who believe in ordinary-decency, the home and the family, the fourth marriage, individual rights of property and so forth, really are darkness, steeped in ignorance and darkness are living in darkness.



POLAND AND RUSSIA.

Right about face seems to be the attitude in Poland teday, and it is find the provision is at least entitied to a try-out it will be difficult to tell whether attitude in Poland teday, and it is find the attitude in Poland teday, and it is find the drawn in a way to meet the attitude in Poland teday, and it is find the present time are living in the attitude in Poland teday, and it is find the present time are living in the attitude in Poland teday, and it is find the present time are living in the attitude in Poland teday, and it is find the present time are living in the attitude in Poland teday, and it is find the present time are living in the attitude in Poland teday and the present time are living in the attitude in Poland teday and it is find the present time are living in the present time are living in the attitude in Poland teday and it is find the present time are living in the attitude in Poland teday and it is find the present time are living in the attitude in Poland teday and it is find the present time are living in the present time are living in the present time are living in the attitude in Poland teday and it is find the present time a

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tions and there on the other hand some people are born with very

Every mortal among us is able to cite a score of instances in which those who deserved to win did win, by dist of trying hard, although certainly born to unpromising beginnings. The outery of the day against the American government as "danying opportunity" comes exclusively from the crowd that wants te win without trying, and to have without deserving. It gets all its sympathy from soft-hearted and softer-headed idlers who are overcome with the thought that they overcome with the thought that they themselves, have had a softer time themselves, have had a softer time than they deserve—and that therefore other undeserving people should have things pretty easy. That it never has been done, never will be done, and never can be done matters not to these visionaries. It ought to be different—so let's make it so!" And the very first step ought to be the destruction of the government, which protects privilege and property," so that we can divide it evenly all around and get along without any government at all save that of "brotherly love."

EUGENNE BERTRAM WILLARD. Chelsea, Mass., Feb. 2, 1920.

simply splendid.

business men of the town, and said. "Do you suppose we could get your father?"

The youngster was very doubtful. Later he confided to his chum, "Oh, I don't want dad to be on that committee. His knees are too fat for people to see in a uniform like that man has on."

At Least a Quadrennial.

Louis Siebod calls Bryan "the endemic Nebraskan." We do not regard it that serious. Mr. Bryan hardly more than sporadic, to speak exact-

Stories That Recall Others.

Things had not gone right. He had als as to who won the war,—indiandrivan her to town to a show and had hought the chocolate bonbons and then when he had gone she felt she had spent a poor evening. She was looking for aympathy too, "Uncle Tom," she said, "I might just as well have stayed at home and played cheokers."

"Well, that's a mighty interesting game," said Uncle Tom, "when you get to the king row."

Disgualified.

Disqualified. As everyone knows, most of the much, and others so little?

No one denies that the inequalities are existent. It is a fact that some people do have too much and that some who really are deserving of a better destiny have absolutely nothing at all. It is the unfortunate way our world was made. Some people are born with mighty, fine constitu-

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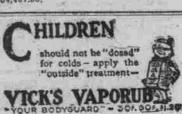
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Drat the Kaiser!

When All Goes Well.

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